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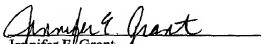
**NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS**  
(37 CFR §§ 1.27 and 1.28)

Sir:

For the purposes of this patent application, Applicant hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that it no longer seeks entitlement to status as a small entity and, accordingly, that a claim for small entity status is hereby withdrawn.

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